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Application No.: 08/779,457 Group Art Unit: 1646
Filed: January 7, 1997 Examiner: G. Draper
Title: WSX RECEPTOR AGONIST ANTIBODIES

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Seattle, Washington 98101

November 19, 1999

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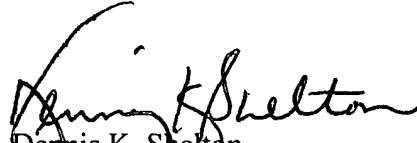
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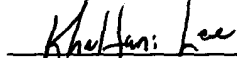

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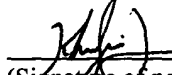
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